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PROPOSED NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL INTELLIGENCE DIRECTIVE NO. 5

ESPIONACE AND COUNTERESPIONACE OPERATIONS

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 102 (d) of the National Security Act of 1947, the National Security Council hereby authorizes and directs that:

- organized Federal espionage and counterespionage operations outside
 the United States and its Possessions for the collection of foreign
 intelligence information required to meet the needs of all departments
 and agencies concerned, in connection with the national security.

 (This directive will not be construed to preclude countered activities by military commands abroad.) Furthermore, the Director
 of Central Intelligence shall be responsible for coordinating covert
 with overt intelligence activities.
- 2. The Director of Central Intelligence shall coordinate the activities abroad of restrict personnel of the National Military Establishment employed or otherwise utilized by the various departments in other than overt capacities.
- 3. All other National Security Council Intelligence Directives or implementing supplements shall be construed to apply solely to overt intelligence activities, unless otherwise specified.
- 4. The Director of Central Intelligence shall disseminate such intelligence information to the various departments and agencies which have an authorized interest therein.